

Appendix J

Initial and Annual Certification Tests

SWPPP Training Assessment

Name _____

Date _____ Division _____

Regulatory
Overview

Circle the correct answer for each question.

1. To fully comply with the storm water requirements, we must comply with
 - A. Federal and State requirements for storm water
 - B. City, County, and State requirements for storm water
 - C. Federal, State and Local requirements for storm water
 - D. Federal, Regional and State requirements for storm water

 2. What penalties can the government impose for SWPPP violations?
 - A. Fines
 - B. Imprisonment up to 2 years
 - C. Written warning
 - D. A & B
 - E. All of the above
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RAH Program

1. SWPPP Planning should occur?
 - A. 7 days prior to earthmoving
 - B. Upon purchase of land
 - C. During the land acquisition process
 - D. None of the above

2. The site superintendent should not document when Responsive Action items have been addressed?
 - A. True
 - B. False

3. Internal documentation not required by the permit should be located onsite separate from the SWPPP?
 - A. True
 - B. False

4. The allowable time frame for action items to be addressed is:
 - A. Immediately upon discovery
 - B. 7 days upon discovery
 - C. 14 days upon discovery
 - D. Whatever is noted in the SWPPP regarding inspections and maintenance
5. The site superintendent should attempt to communicate with a regulatory official when that official is conducting a site inspection?
 - A. True
 - B. False
6. A Pre-Construction Inspection and Review is not necessary as long as BMPs are installed prior to commencement of construction activities?
 - A. True
 - B. False
7. Why is it important to address and document action items?
 - A. It is required by the government
 - B. Ignoring action items and documentation can lead to stipulated penalties
 - C. Ignoring action items and documentation may lead to regulatory enforcement action
 - D. All of the above
8. As part of internal requirements, the superintendent should inspect the project _____. [Fill in required inspection frequency].
9. The Division-Wide Compliance Summary Report must be signed by a Site Storm Water Compliance Representative?
 - A. True
 - B. False

10. The Quarterly Compliance Review needs to be completed no later than ____ days following the Quarterly Compliance Inspection?
- A. 5 days
 - B. 10 days
 - C. 14 days
 - D. 7 days
11. A list of sites and projects needs to be submitted to the EPA
- A. Monthly
 - B. Quarterly
 - C. Yearly
 - D. Every 25 days
12. The Division Storm Water Compliance Representatives need to submit a National Compliance Summary report to the EPA at the end of each year?
- A. True
 - B. False
13. Which of the following are components of the Storm Water Orientation for Contractors/Consultants?
- A. Signage
 - B. Builder's Storm Water Program Information
 - C. Master Subcontract Information
 - D. All of the Above
14. Where should inspection reports be kept?
- A. In the Sales Office
 - B. SWPPP Book
 - C. In the Superintendent's Truck
 - D. With the DSWCR

SWPPP Training Assessment, Continued

SWPPP

Circle the correct answer.

1. Where must the SWPPP always be kept?
 - A. On site
 - B. At the office
 - C. In your vehicle
 - D. All of the above
2. The posted signage should have the following document attached:
 - A. NOT
 - B. NOC
 - C. NOI
 - D. NOG
3. Circle all of the statements below that are true of the SWPPP.
 - A. You must have a SWPPP that addresses land development and vertical activities
 - B. The SWPPP must include all potential sources of pollution on site
 - C. The SWPPP identifies all operators and specifies which areas of the site the operators have control
 - D. All of the above
4. Drawings are an optional component of the SWPPP
 - A. T
 - B. F
5. The SWPPP will most likely undergo amendments throughout the construction process
 - A. T
 - B. F
6. Where is the location of the SWPPP noted?
 - A. NOT
 - B. Posted Signage
 - C. BMP
 - D. None of the above

Pollutants and
BMPs

Complete the following.

1. Erosion can be caused by
 - A. Rainfall
 - B. Wind
 - C. Snowmelt
 - D. All of the above
2. Sedimentation is the settling of soil as a result of the erosion process
 - A. True
 - B. False
3. Construction site erosion can be 10 to 1,000 times greater than nature's erosion process.
 - A. True
 - B. False
4. Concrete Waste, Paint, Pesticides, Sanitary Waste, Petroleum and Oil need to be contained after roads are paved and inlets are installed
 - A. True
 - B. False
5. What does the acronym BMP represent?
 - A. Broad Measure Prevention
 - B. Best Management Prevention
 - C. Best Measure Prevention
 - D. Best Management Practices
6. BMP's may be
 - A. Structural and Permanent
 - B. Structural and Temporary
 - C. Non Structural
 - D. All of the above
7. When there is a reportable hazardous spill on site, the DSWCR must be notified _____.
8. Vehicle tracking is acceptable on a daily basis as long as the streets are swept on a weekly basis:
 - A. True
 - B. False
9. If a linear BMP appears to be durable to construction traffic, then it is ok to drive up on the lot?
 - A. T
 - B. F

SWPPP Training Assessment, Continued

Pollutants and (continued)

10. Name 6 BMP categories

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

11. Circle all of the items listed below that are erosion controls

- A. Erosion Control Matting
- B. Bonded Fiber Matrices
- C. Hydro seeding
- D. Soil Roughening (Ripping)
- E. Silt Fencing

12. Circle the primary type of erosion control from the listing below that addresses a potential problem at its source.

- A. Inlet Protection
- B. Silt Fencing
- C. Stabilized construction entrances
- D. Street Sweeping

13. Inlet protection is considered the last line of defense and should always be used in combination with;

- A. Silt Fencing
- B. Street sweeping
- C. Other erosion and sediment control measures
- D. Never in combination. Inlet protection is adequate on its own.

14. Finish the following sentence.

Stabilized entrances are important because _____....

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BMP' (continued)

15. Silt Fencing is an economical way to mark lots.
 - A. T
 - B. F
16. A subcontractor is allowed to wash out concrete in a storm drain inlet if there is inlet protection installed
 - A. T
 - B. F
17. What is the proper installation for porta potties?
18. All material waste should be:
 - A. Covered
 - B. Contained
 - C. Exposed
 - D. All of the above
 - E. A & B
19. It is O.K. to litter on the lots as long as it doesn't go into the storm drains.
 - A. T
 - B. F
20. Describe what you do if you have a spill or leak from equipment or a vehicle on site.